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Garbage Schedule For Thanksgiving Weekend

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(November 23, 2004- TROY)- In an effort to ensure the City remains as clean as possible over the holiday weekend, Troy will dispatch Department of Public Works employees on Friday and Saturday to handle regular garbage pickup interrupted by Thanksgiving.

Mayor Harry Tutunjian is asking that anyone with regular Friday pickup to please follow their normal routine. However, those with Thursday pickup are asked to put out their garbage for a Friday pickup. Crews will be around the City trying to make two runs on one day. If your garbage is not picked up on Friday, the City is asking residents to leave it outside for a special Saturday morning pickup.

"We understand the importance of picking up garbage in a timely manner," Mayor Harry Tutunjian said. "We are asking for a small amount of patience this weekend, as we attempt to pickup a larger amount of garbage during a shorter period of time. The men and women who work in the Department of Public Works are the best in the area, and I have no doubt they will do their job well."

Any questions about garbage pickup between Thursday and Saturday can be directed to the Department of Public Works garage at 270-4579.